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John H. Wurster

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For: TELEPHONE NETWORK CONTROL  
SYSTEM AND METHOD

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**REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated October 8, 2008, sent in response to the Appeal Brief filed on July 10, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.